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Eleventh Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Chenault at 10:33 a.m.

Roll call showed 32 members present. Representatives Edgmon, Harris, Johansen, Millett, Stoltze, and P. Wilson had been excused from a call of the House today. Representative Guttenberg was absent and his presence was noted later. Representative Thomas was absent.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Nancy Campbell of Gospel Outreach Christian Center. Representative Dahlstrom moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

With deepest respect for the religious beliefs of each person here, I offer this prayer.

May the Lord answer you in the day of trouble. May the name of the God of Jacob defend you. May He send you help from the sanctuary and strengthen you out of Zion...

Psalms 20:1-2

Dear Lord,

I ask for strength and help for this legislative body, that you would be their defense. As this session unfolds and they discuss the issues facing their districts that they would work together for the betterment of our state. Bless them now, Lord, and be with their families as well. In Jesus' name. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative T. Wilson.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Austerman, Acting Majority Leader, moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the ninth and tenth legislative days be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SB 59

A message dated January 27, 2010, was read stating the Senate concurred in the House amendment to CSSB 59(TRA) am, thus adopting:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 59(TRA)
"An Act relating to the operation of low-speed vehicles."

COMMUNICATIONS

The following were received:

Dept. of Environmental Conservation
Alaska Drinking Water and Clean Water Loan Funds
Annual Report FY 2009
January 27, 2010
(as required by AS 37.05.035)

Dept. of Environmental Conservation
National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
Annual Report
January 26, 2010
(as required by Chapter No. 95, SLA 2005)

**The presence of Representative Guttenberg was noted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**HB 110**

The Health & Social Services Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 110

"An Act relating to the practice and licensing of psychologists."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 110(HSS)

(same title)

The report was signed by Representatives Herron and Keller, Co-chairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (6): Holmes, T. Wilson, Seaton, Lynn, Cissna, Herron

No recommendation (1): Keller

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 110(HSS):

1. Zero, Dept. of Health & Social Services

HB 110 was referred to the Labor & Commerce Committee.

HB 283

The Labor & Commerce Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 283

"An Act relating to the purchasing of and restrictions concerning alcoholic beverages."

The report was signed by Representative Olson, Chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (5): Lynn, Buch, Holmes, T. Wilson, Olson

Do not pass (1): Neuman

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Zero, Dept. of Law
2. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration
3. Fiscal, Dept. of Health & Social Services

HB 283 was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

HB 307

The Judiciary Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 307

"An Act relating to sexual assault protective orders."

The report was signed by Representative Ramras, Chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (7): Lynn, Gruenberg, Herron, Dahlstrom, Holmes, Gatto, Ramras

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Zero, Dept. of Law

HB 307 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

The following citations were introduced and referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar:

Honoring - Nancy Lord, Alaska State Writer Laureate 2008-2010
By Senator Stevens; Representative Seaton

In Memoriam - Darren Skonberg
By Senator Stevens; Representative Austerman

In Memoriam - Father Hugh F. Hall
By Senator Stevens; Representative Austerman

In Memoriam - Mitch Demientieff Sr.
By Senator Kookesh; Representative Salmon

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE
OF HOUSE BILLS**

HB 318

HOUSE BILL NO. 318 by Representative Harris, entitled:

"An Act relating to public use of unregulated water systems."

was read the first time and referred to the Community & Regional
Affairs and Resources Committees.

HB 319

HOUSE BILL NO. 319 by Representatives Hawker, Chenault,
Johnson, and Dahlstrom, entitled:

"An Act relating to firearms."

was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary and Finance
Committees.

HB 320

HOUSE BILL NO. 320 by Representatives Millett and Hawker,
entitled:

"An Act removing the royalty obligation for geothermal
resources."

was read the first time and referred to the Resources and Finance
Committees.

HB 321

HOUSE BILL NO. 321 by Representative Millett, entitled:

"An Act relating to the tax rate on oil and gas production; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Resources and Finance Committees.

HB 322

HOUSE BILL NO. 322 by Representative Harris, entitled:

"An Act relating to winter tires; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Transportation and Finance Committees.

HB 283

The Speaker added a Finance Committee referral for the following:

HOUSE BILL NO. 283

"An Act relating to the purchasing of and restrictions concerning alcoholic beverages."

HB 283 is in the Judiciary Committee.

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR**LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS**

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the House approve the citations on the calendar. There being no objection, the following citations were approved and sent to enrolling:

Commemorating - Black History Month 2010

By Senator Davis; Representatives Chenault, Buch, Cissna, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, N. Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Ramras, Salmon, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

In Memoriam - Ron Sparks

By Representatives Thomas, Chenault, Buch, Cissna, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, N. Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Ramras, Salmon, Seaton, Stoltze, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson; Senator Kookesh

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

HJR 40

Representative Gatto added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 40

Opposing the proposed designation by the National Marine Fisheries Service of 3,000 square miles of upper Cook Inlet, the mid-inlet, all of the inlet's western shores, and Kachemak Bay as critical habitat for beluga whales.

HB 187

Representative Tuck added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 187

"An Act requiring insurance coverage for autism spectrum disorders, describing the method for establishing a treatment plan for those disorders, and defining the treatment required for those disorders; and providing for an effective date."

HB 205

Representative Tuck added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 205

"An Act relating to the permanent fund dividend of an otherwise qualified individual who dies during the qualifying year; and providing for an effective date."

HB 283

Representative Lynn added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 283

"An Act relating to the purchasing of and restrictions concerning alcoholic beverages."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 11:00 a.m., February 1, 2010. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 11:05 a.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk